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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Defective Response mailed September 15, 2008, kindly enter the following Substitute Preliminary Amendment to substitute for the Preliminary Amendment filed July 7, 2008:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10.